

# Clinical trials of agents to slow down human AAA-expansion for abdominal aortic aneurysm in all type of patients

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## 1 antibiotics

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
<b>doxycycline vs placebo</b>			
Mosorin , 2001 n=17/15 follow-up: 18 mo	Doxycycline 150 mg/d versus Placebo	-	Parallel groups double blind
<b>roxithromycin vs placebo</b>			
Vammen , 2001 n=40/44 follow-up: 18 mo	Roxithromycin 300 mg/d versus Placebo	-	double blind

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Vammen S, Lindholt JS, Ostergaard L, Fasting H, Henneberg EW Randomized double-blind controlled trial of roxithromycin for prevention of abdominal aortic aneurysm expansion. Br J Surg 2001;88:1066-72 [[11488791](#)]

## 2 beta-blockers

Trial	Treatments	Patients	Trials design and methods
<b>vs control</b>			
Wilimink , 2000 n=256/221 follow-up: 33 mo	Propranolol 40 mg/d versus control	-	Parallel groups open
<b>vs placebo</b>			
Lindholt , 1999 n=30/24 follow-up: 24 mo	Propranolol 40 mg/bid versus Placebo	-	Parallel groups double blind
PATI , 2002 n=276/272 follow-up: 30 mo	Propranolol 20240 mg/d versus Placebo	-	Parallel groups double blind

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